

**St. Alban's Episcopal Church**

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Almighty God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, from whom every family in heaven and earth is named, grant you to be strengthened with might by his Holy Spirit, that, Christ dwelling in your hearts by faith, you may be filled with all the fullness of God. Amen. – *From the Book of Common Prayer.*

Dear Beloved,

Last June, on our patron feast day, St. Alban's celebrated one hundred years of ministry. Over the last century we have been blessed by God with a large and vibrant congregation and parish family. Our members, both past and present, have supported one another in using their gifts and skills to serve God and discern their unique roles in the mission that God gives to all baptized Christians.

On January 9<sup>th</sup>, the Church celebrates the Baptism of our Lord - Luke 3:21-22. This event marks the beginning of Jesus' ministry and his revealing of God's kingdom. At St. Alban's we are remembering this event by celebrating all of our members who were baptized at St. Alban's over the past century.

You are one such beloved member!

Wherever you are on your journey of faith, know that you are a beloved child of God. The Baptismal service in the Episcopal Church reminds us, "we are Christ's own forever, members of the household of God."

Over the next several months, St. Alban's will hold you in prayer and thanksgiving. You always have a place in our parish family. If you would like to know more about our current ministries, or have questions about your own faith or spiritual journey, our Red Doors are open! Please join us or another local Episcopal Church, if you no longer live in the Bexley area, for Sunday worship.

St. Alban's, and the Church at large, is a more vibrant and whole vision of God's kingdom with your presence and your gifts! God Bless.

Sincerely,

Fr. J. Devin Rodgers